

Mr. Noble, for the Committee, responds by saying that the Committee had made diligent inquiry in regard to that particular matter and is informed that there are no negroes in the list.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Substitute for S. B. 368, H. B. 1829, a bill to be entitled an act to repeal Chapter 157, Laws of 1895, relating to election of justices of peace.

Mr. Winston moves to amend by adding:

Bertie and Chowan counties.

Accepted.

Mr. Cochran moves to amend by adding:

Montgomery county.

Accepted.

Mr. Gilliam moves to amend by adding:

Edgecombe county.

Accepted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second and third readings, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

S. B. 1156, H. B. 1831, a bill to be entitled an act for the appointment of additional justices of the peace for Caswell, Granville, Washington, Warren and Vance counties,

Passes its second and third readings, and is ordered enrolled for ratification.

S. B. 1152, H. B. 1837, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the office of Tax Collector for Mecklenburg county,

Is, on motion of Mr. Clarkson, laid on the table.